

BUILD MORE ROOMS

Board of Directors Decide to Enlarge Children's Home.

TO EXTEND EAST WING

Eleven Years Since Institution Was Founded.

The board of directors for the Children's home held a meeting yesterday at which it was decided to build an addition to the building. For some time there have been more children in need of a home than there has been room for, and it has become absolutely necessary that more rooms and better accommodations should be provided.

The addition will be an extension of the east wing. On the ground floor there will be a dining room, matron's dining room and a bath room. And on the upper floor there will be a dormitory and a hospital ward. The board has been contemplating the building for some time, but it was thought that the old building was not good enough. However, when the building was carefully inspected, it was found that by making some slight repairs on the foundations it could be put in good shape.

The home was founded about eleven years ago. It was first located on Pennsylvania avenue in the first block north of Douglas. It remained in this building for about two years and then was moved to the present building on College Hill. There are nineteen rooms in this building, but some of them are small and the new addition will largely increase the floor space. Two large porches will also be added.

At present there are nineteen children being cared for at the home, and this number is all that can be accommodated. The main object of the institution was to take care of homeless children until a good home could be found for them, but children whose mothers are obliged to work and have not the time to take care of them, may be sent to the home and taken care of for a very moderate sum.

PUT BOY OFF THE TRAIN

An Emigrant Calls on Sheriff.

Yesterday afternoon a man came into the sheriff's office at the courthouse and asked to see the sheriff. He was a queer looking man, dressed in rough clothes, wore a full beard, and was very cross-eyed. He looked like a foreigner, but spoke good English. Constable Tom Voss, who was in the office, told him that the sheriff was not in, but that he could probably look after his business. The man then said that his name was Wacky and that he had come from Adams county, Ind., with an emigrant car, that is, a car loaded with a farmer's outfit of livestock and household goods. The railroad companies only allow one man to go with these cars to look after the livestock, but this man said that he had arranged his 14-year-old boy in the car as far as Oskawatomie. One of the trainmen had found that the boy was in the car and put him off the train. He had given the boy \$5 with which to buy a ticket to Wichita, but they boy had not arrived yet, and he wanted to have the sheriff look him up. Wacky was afraid that some of the toughs who were around the depot at Oskawatomie had taken the \$5 away from the boy and that he was not able to get here. The officers promised to look the boy up if he did not arrive on this morning's train.

FLOCK OF TORNADES

F. M. Campbell Tells of Sunday's Storms.

F. M. Campbell of Canby, Kan., was in the city yesterday and was telling some of his friends about some of the numerous tornadoes which occurred in that locality last Sunday. He said that there were six of them within a radius of twenty miles, and that they all occurred between 5 and 6 o'clock in the afternoon. He said that he had seen one of them. He said that the tornadoes performed all the strange freaks they usually perform. Chickens were found running around that had been stripped of every feather; trees were twisted up by the roots, horses and cattle killed, and some of them carried quite a distance and buildings shattered until they were not fit for building wood. But he said that one of the strongest freaks was a house which was blown up and carried nearly a mile and a half, and then set down on the top of a hill and left standing there but very little damaged.

APPEALED TO DISTRICT COURT

Two Cases Both Involving Only \$175.

Two cases were filed in the district court yesterday which were appeals taken from a justice's court. The amount involved in one is \$10 and the amount in the other is \$175. They are both suits against Fred Menz for one day's wages. One plaintiff is J. M. Love and the other is Thomas Jackson. Both suits were first brought before Justice of the Peace-Sheriff E. Duncan, who gave judgment for \$1 and for \$1 cents. The costs, which amounted to \$175, were assessed against Mr. Menz, who appealed the case in the ground that the lower court had erred in not sustaining a motion to quash, which was made by the defendant. This motion was made on the ground that the summons were made out to the Fred Menz Furniture company, and not to Fred Menz.

MEN MAY GO FREE

Defense in Jones Hold-Up Case Putting Up Strong Fight.

The defense in the state case against Henry Jones, Gus Morgan and Arthur Brown is putting up a strong fight. The three men are charged with robbing "Cattle" Jones in the Klondike saloon last March. It is claimed on the part of the prosecution that Jefferson did the work and that Morgan and Brown were accessories. But the defense claims that none of the three did the work, but that it was done by another party named Dewey. In the case of Brown, his attorney, summoned to the evidence of the prosecution and the judge sustained the defense and Brown was released. The case against the other two went to the jury, but they had not acted when the

Headache

Is often a warning that the liver is torpid or inactive. More serious troubles may follow. For a prompt, efficient cure of headache and all liver troubles, take

Hood's Pills

While they rouse the liver, restore full regular action of the bowels, they do not gripe or pain, do not irritate or inflame the internal organs, but have a positive tonic effect. 25c. at all druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

CONTRACT LET

FOR STONE WORK ON DEPOT

To be Built by the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

The contract for the brick and stone work on the new Missouri Pacific depot has been let to W. H. Sternberg, and it is stated that active work in construction will begin within ten days. The contract for stone work has not been let yet, but probably will be within the next two or three days. All the buildings have been cleared away, and all that remains to be done now to start the work of construction is to get the material on the ground. Orders are already in for this, and it will probably be shipped the first of next week. It will take until about the middle of August to get the building ready for occupancy.

OLDEST BICYCLE IN TOWN

Is Owned by Dr. Shultz, Who Still Rides It.

Dr. Shultz is the owner of the oldest pneumatic tire bicycle in the city. It is still in good running condition, and Dr. Shultz says he would not trade it for the best bicycle made at present, and asserts that it is good for service for a number of years yet. The wheel was made in England, and is called the "Mianehaba." It was imported for Dr. Shultz and he became its owner on March 25, 1890. It was an expensive luxury at that time, as its cost was \$100.00 laid down here. The bicycle has had an eventful history. Dr. Shultz says it has been the cause of two men being sent to the penitentiary. The wheel was stolen twice, but recovered each time and the thief arrested and convicted.

FILLED WITH COLLARS

Charley Walker Carries a Wonderful Big Value.

The railroad men in this city are having lots of amusement out of Charley Walker, the genial Santa Fe agent at Hutchinson. Walker read a few days ago about the English lord who came over from London as the secretary of the British embassy at Washington and brought twenty-two trunks of new clothing with him. He told a few friends that this English duke couldn't discount him. Whenever he went out of town, even if it was only a short trip, he took a new value his wife gave him for Christmas to carry his collars two. The value is nearly as big as a trunk, and is needed to hold his extensive stock of neckwear.

HOT AIR CLUB IN SESSION

Large Attendance at the Regular Meeting Last Night.

The Hot Air club held a very interesting session last night at the Kansas News stand. The new secretary of state, Dave Leach, presided, and read a very interesting and well written letter of regret that he was present. John Davis recited some experience of a trip to Europe which he expects to make within a year. Doc Shultz recited a number of recipes guaranteed to catch plover or fish in great numbers. J. C. McCoy recited some members by discussing methods of catching insects in the club. Col. Dillon furnished a shot machine illustration and acted as critic and host, and promised the club that as long as it was devoted to plans for promoting the town it was welcome to hold its sessions there. None of these gentlemen are members of the club.

HUNTING LOST RELATIVES

Mrs. Julia Brownfield Wants to Locate Father and Brother.

Chief of Police C. T. Cullen yesterday received a letter from Mrs. Julia Brownfield of Canton, Mo. She asked for information regarding her father and brother, whom she stated, were last heard of here. She said that she and her mother left here last January and went to Canton, Mo., on a visit. Her mother was taken ill, and they had remained there ever since. They were worried because they had not heard from either her father or brother for over a month, and feared that they had been taken ill with the Cuban chicken-pox, which she said she had heard was prevalent here. Chief Cullen could find no trace of either Mr. Brownfield or his son, and so informed the daughter.

FIRE ON NORTH TOPEKA

J. D. McKen's Barn Burned Yesterday Afternoon.

The barn belonging to J. D. McKen, 141 North Topeka avenue, was found to be on fire about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The fire did not do much damage, but the department had a hard time in getting it out on account of the moving being filled with hay, and it was almost impossible to get the fire entirely extinguished. There was considerable excitement when the fire was first discovered on account of the fact that Mr. McKen's little boy could not be found, and it was feared that he was in the barn. After it was all over he was found upstairs asleep.

U. C. T. MEETING AT ATCHISON

Twenty Wichita Traveling Men Left Last Night.

About twenty or thirty Wichita traveling men, accompanied by their wives, left last night for Atchison, to attend the annual convention of the U. C. T. which will meet in that city today. It is expected that the meeting will be a large one. The committee at Salina, Hutchinson, Kansas City, Kan., Fort Scott, Topeka and Wichita will each be represented. Dick Warren of the Santa Fe, accompanied the traveling men from this city to look after their comfort.

DOES COFFEE AGREE WITH YOU?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it, but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and builds the system, and gives you a drink that agrees with you.

It is the strongest and purest of pure grains. Get a package today from Fairbanks, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c and 25c.

NOT WORTH SEEING

Commissioner Allison Says Paris Exposition

WILL NOT BE COMPLETE

Before June First—England is Not Interested in the Fair.

James Allison, who is now in Paris as one of the United States commissioners, is not at this time particularly enjoying his visit. He says that not more than half the buildings on the exposition grounds are finished, and that the exhibits will not be in place before the first of June. The fair will be great, one of the greatest ever given, he thinks, when it is complete, but financially not a success. England, one of the greatest nations of the world, has very few exhibits, and is sending nobody to see the fair. This lack of interest by an adjoining nation Mr. Allison thinks will greatly affect the general attendance. In a letter to Mr. George Dickson, Mr. Allison says: "Paris, France, April 22.—We have been in Paris ten days. It seems a month. The fair was formally opened April 11, but it is not worth going to see yet. The exhibits will not be in place before June 1. The attendance was very large for a day or two, but is now very small, not more than one half of the buildings being completed. While the fair will, without any doubt, be the finest ever given to the world, it is extremely doubtful whether it will be a financial success. Paris is very much lacking in means of transportation. It has one small tram road that carries passengers to the fair. The driver can take a portion of those who live on the Seine. The balance will have to go in cabs and hacks or omnibuses. The cabs and hacks charge two or three prices. The hotels are charging two prices. This kind of excessive and poor service will keep many people away. England is taking no interest in the exhibits. Their building is a small affair. The United States has \$500 exhibits; England only \$50. We have almost ten to their one. English people are not coming here with any interest, and being a great nation adjoining France, and taking no in the fair, it will have decreasing influence on the general attendance. It is estimated that not more than 40,000 people from the United States can attend this fair on account of the limited transportation by vessels. "England is taking no merchant marine to use in the South African war, and this lowers the carrying capacity on the ocean less than usual."

GREAT DEMAND FOR STOCKERS

Commission Yards Rushed to Supply the Orders.

The demand for stockers and feeders at the stock yards in this city is so great that the commission men are unable to keep up with their orders, which come not alone from this country, but from Butler, Sumner and other surrounding counties. The commission men say that the farmers and stock men of this county are stocking their ranches with well bred animals and are having trouble in securing enough. They are looking to this city as the source of supply and are leaving heavy orders here for one, two and three-year-old cattle. "The stock men of this county," said a commission man yesterday, "are branching out heavily and buying many cattle. Notwithstanding all that has been said to the contrary, nearly all the money needed to purchase the stock was obtained from men in this city. It is true that the cattle men and farmers in the surrounding counties look elsewhere for the greater part of the money, yet they take every opportunity offered to place their loans here. It is simply a matter of time until Wichita becomes a great stocker and feeder market. It is situated right for a distributing point, especially for native stock. The bankers and financial men of this city are beginning to realize that there is no better investment than good cattle paper, and I look for a heavy increase of this business here in the near future. "We have here one of the finest stock yards in the west and facilities for handling thousands of cattle daily. The trade is rapidly increasing and Wichita is getting a reputation as a good place to market young stock of all kinds. The strong demand here is building up the trade, and I look for Mexico and Arizona feeders to be shipped in here in large lots in the near future and sold to stock men in this section. Wichita ought to be and will be the feeder and stocker market for southern Kansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territories, and it will not be long until all the money necessary for the movement of the cattle will be loaned here."

CORBETT-JEFFRIES FIGHT

But Little Interest in It Being Taken Here.

But little interest is being taken in this city in the Corbett-Jeffries fight, which will take place this evening in New York. Contrary to the usual run of things, there is but little betting on the event, which is for the heavy-weight championship of the world. Only a few bets have thus far been made. A bet of \$50 to \$100 was made that Jeffries would win the bout and one of \$10 even that Corbett would not last ten rounds.

ONE FARE RATE GRANTED

Over Rock Island to Republican National Convention.

The passenger agent of the Rock Island last night received a telegram from the general passenger office of the road stating that the rate to Philadelphia during the national Republican convention will be one fare for the round trip. This is the first time for several years that a straight one fare rate has been made. It is usually one fare plus \$2. The date of sales will be June 1, 15 and 18. The tickets will be limited for the return trip until June 25.

A Boy with a Scavenger Cart Went to Sleep in His Seat Last Night and Officer Rempegar Caught the Mice about Midnight Wandering Around Town.

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Cash Henderson's

Our Special Sale Days

Will not end until we convince everybody that we are unrivaled for bargains. We received yesterday by express 20 pieces of Silk Mulls, in cream, white, blue, pink and other tints suitable for commencement costumes. We offer them, with some handsomely decorated Fans, as inducements for this week. They are very cheap, considering their quality and the delicacy of their texture and color.

Our Other Special Sales Include

100 Japanese Dressing Sacks, in organdies, lawns and fancy colors; trimmed, at \$1.15. Inquire early for them on the third floor.

100 Children's pique Jackets, in white, pink and blue. They are very pretty and very cheap.

50 dozen Ladies' Caps, on third floor.

Our premier special sale today will be in the Carpet department. We will sell 50 genuine Turkish Rugs—guaranteed—at a figure one-half the price of the same goods at St. Louis, Chicago or New York. We defy competition in the price of these goods.

119-121 NORTH MAIN.

Fine Suits Cost Little This Luck Day

Fifty-three all wool vestee Suits, with sailor collars, worth up to \$3.50, reduced to \$1.89

Seventy-six handsomely trimmed, finest grade, vestee Suits, with sailor collars, worth up to \$7, reduced to \$2.89

All sizes, from 2 to 8.

Sale starts at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Come to the minute if you want first choice.

All of the 129 Suits will be on exhibition this morning, but none will be laid aside.

First here after the sale is open will have first choice—but every Suit is a bargain.

There isn't a banker in christendom but would lay awake nights and go hungry to make as big percentage on an investment as the buyers of these Suits will save.

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Everything for Everybody Under One Roof

Friday's Sale Is Lawns

At the Greater Department Store of

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299 yards of fine fancy Lawns at 25c a yard. These goods are new, perfect in every way and worth 50c. Only 12 yards to a customer while they last.

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